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1. THREE SEOUL NEWSPAPERS (INCLUDING GOVERNMENT'S SEOUL SINMUN AND KYONGHYAND SINMUN) AUGUST 4 CARRY TOKYO UPI REPORT OF PREVIOUS DAY'S YOMIURI STORY CLAIMING THAT US OFFICIAL MET KIM IL-SONG DURING LATTER'S VISIT TO ALGERIA. YOMIURI SAID INFORMATION ON MEETING CAME FROM JAPANESE EMBASSY IN ALGIERS, WHICH HAD OBTAINED IT FROM "MAJOR COMMUNIST COUNTRY". CONTACT WAS ALLEGEDLY INITIATED BY US SIDE IN ORDER TO SOUND OUT PYONGYAND ON KIM IL-SONG'S VISIT TO PEKING.

2. KOREAN CURIOSITY ON ALLEGED US-NORTH KOREAN CONTACT MAY BE FURTHER PIQUED BY UPI RADIO REPORT CARRIED AUGUST 4 BY AFKN TO EFFECT THAT SECRETARY KISSINGER WOULD VISIT PYONGYAND FOLLOWING A TRIP TO PEKING. IF ASKED, WE WILL OF COURSE DENY BOTH RUMORS.

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